Examiner Interview

A telephone interview took place between Examiner Aristolelis Psitos and Emmanuel Rivera on February 27, 2007. In particular, discussion took place regarding claim amendments overcoming the cited primary reference U.S. Patent No. 6,262,777 to Brewer et al (Brewer) used in the pending 103 rejections.

It was discussed that Brewer teaches the alignment of audio frames with video frames. Independent claims 1 and 11 have been amended to recite "analyzing at least the read subset of audio content to quantify optical drive read accuracy of the audio content". This element is not taught or suggested by Brewer.

Independent claims 1 and 11 have further been amended to recite "determining whether additional sector reads are necessary" which finds support on page 20, line 3 (first complete paragraph) of the specification and is not taught or suggested by Brewer.

Claims 1, 3, 4, and 11 have been amended to address objections raised in the Action.

CONCLUSION

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All pending claims 1, 3-11 are in condition for allowance. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and prompt issuance of the subject application. If any issues remain that prevent issuance of this application, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned attorney before issuing a subsequent Action.

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